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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT  
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Takashi SUZUKI et al.

Serial No. : 09/829,061

Filed : April 9, 2001

For : ADHESIVE COMPOSITION AND  
ADHESIVE OPTICAL COMPONENT  
USING THE COMPOSITION

Art Unit : 1714

Examiner : Peter A. Szekely

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

S I R :

This is a response to the Office Action of February 27, 2003 (Paper No. 7), which is a Restriction Requirement under 35 USC 121. The term for responding to the Office Action ends on March 27, 2003.

REQUEST FOR RETURN OF INITIALED FORMS PTO/SB/08A AND PTO/SB/08B

The Examiner is respectfully requested to return an initialed copy of each of the Forms PTO/SB/08A and PTO/SB/08B filed on July 17, 2002 and Form PTO/SB/08A mailed on June 14, 2001 to indicate that the cited publications identified therein were considered and made of record.

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Dated: MARCH 11, 2003

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Restriction was required under 35 USC 121 as follows:

Group I.      Claims 1 to 4 and 8 to 17, drawn to an adhesive composition;

Group II.     Claim 5, drawn to a coated film; and

Group III.    Claims 6, 7 and 18 to 21, drawn to an optical component.

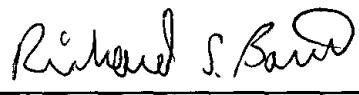
Applicants elect Group I, claims 1 to 4 and 8 to 17 drawn to an adhesive composition.

An INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT ("IDS") is being filed concomitantly herewith to cite US 2001/0031835A1, which is the publication of application Serial No. 09/805,088 (which was cited in the IDS mailed on June 14, 2001).

If the Examiner has any comments, questions, objections or recommendations, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the telephone number given below for prompt action.

Respectfully submitted,

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